Workforce Development Region 4	# Graduate Students
Grand Total	5,151
Major	
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse.	548
Business Administration and Management, General.	399
Medicine.	379
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services.	230
Secondary Education and Teaching.	228
Educational Leadership and Administration, General.	170
Dentistry.	153
Optometry.	134
Accounting.	128
Elementary Education and Teaching.	119
Special Education and Teaching, General.	114
General Studies.	102
Social Work.	94
Public Health, General.	88
Public Administration.	85
Physician Assistant.	72
Education, General.	71
Health/Health Care Administration/Management.	71
Nursing Practice.	66
Law.	65
Teaching English as a Second or Foreign Language/ESL Language Instructor.	65
Engineering, General.	63
Occupational Therapy/Therapist.	63
Pharmacy.	62
Physical Therapy/Therapist.	61
Systems Science and Theory.	60
Educational/Instructional Technology.	50
Nurse Anesthetist.	50
Management Information Systems, General.	47
Early Childhood Education and Teaching.	43
Biology/Biological Sciences, General.	42

Workforce Development Region 4	# Graduate Students
Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist.	42
Veterinary Medicine.	40
English Language and Literature, General.	39
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences, General.	36
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching.	35
Adult and Continuing Education and Teaching.	30
Library and Information Science.	30
Psychology, General.	28
Health and Physical Education/Fitness, Other.	26
Human Resources Management/Personnel Administration, General.	26
Counseling Psychology.	22
Educational, Instructional, and Curriculum Supervision.	22
History, General.	22
Engineering, Other.	21
Higher Education/Higher Education Administration.	21
Mechanical Engineering.	21
Speech Communication and Rhetoric.	21
Civil Engineering, General.	19
Sociology.	19
Undeclared/NotReported	19
Computer Engineering, General.	16
Health and Medical Administrative Services, Other.	16
Mathematics, General.	16
Nutrition Sciences.	16
Computer and Information Sciences, General.	15
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, General.	15
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	14
Marketing/Marketing Management, General.	14
Audiology/Audiologist and Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist.	13
Biomedical Sciences, General.	13
Teacher Education, Multiple Levels.	13
Art Teacher Education.	12
Communication and Media Studies, Other.	12

Workforce Development Region 4	# Graduate Students
Sport and Fitness Administration/Management.	12
Anthropology.	11
Biostatistics.	11
Business/Commerce, General.	11
Cell/Cellular and Molecular Biology.	11
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies.	11
Educational Psychology.	11
Nursing Science.	11
Physics, General.	11
Chemistry, General.	10
Computer and Information Systems Security/Information Assurance.	10
Immunology.	10
Intercultural/Multicultural and Diversity Studies.	10
Public Health/Community Nurse/Nursing.	10
Technical Teacher Education.	10
Clinical Laboratory Science/Medical Technology/Technologist.	9
Molecular Medicine.	9
Music, General.	9
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Administration.	8
Materials Engineering.	8
Political Science and Government, General.	8
Public Administration and Social Service Professions, Other.	8
Reading Teacher Education.	8
Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Other.	7
Epidemiology.	7
Special Education and Teaching, Other.	7
Bioengineering and Biomedical Engineering.	6
Educational Assessment, Testing, and Measurement.	6
Exercise Physiology.	6
Human/Medical Genetics.	6
Mass Communication/Media Studies.	6
Neuroscience.	6
Nursing Administration.	6
Secondary School Administration/Principalship.	6

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Mental Health Counseling/Counselor.	Legal Research and Advanced Professional Studies, Other.	3
	Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies.	3
Microbiology, General.	Mental Health Counseling/Counselor.	3
	Microbiology, General.	3

Workforce Development Region 4	# Graduate Students
Orthotist/Prosthetist.	3
Real Estate Development.	3
School Psychology.	3
Architectural Engineering.	2
Art History, Criticism and Conservation.	2
Clinical Psychology.	2
Design and Applied Arts, Other.	2
Education/Teaching of Individuals in Elementary Special Education Programs.	2
Environmental Health.	2
Environmental Toxicology.	2
Fine/Studio Arts, General.	2
Genetic Counseling/Counselor.	2
Geographic Information Science and Cartography.	2
Geography, Other.	2
Geology/Earth Science, General.	2
German Language and Literature.	2
Health/Medical Psychology.	2
Human Development, Family Studies, and Related Services, Other.	2
Nuclear Medical Technology/Technologist.	2
Plant Sciences, Other.	2
Public/Applied History.	2
Social Sciences, General.	2
Taxation.	2
Agricultural Economics.	1
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences, Other.	1
Animal Sciences, General.	1
Aquaculture.	1
Business/Managerial Economics.	1
Cell/Cellular Biology and Anatomical Sciences, Other.	1
Cell/Cellular Biology and Histology.	1
Computer/Information Technology Services Administration and Management, Other.	1
Consumer Services and Advocacy.	1

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Workforce Development Region 4	# Graduate Students
Education/Teaching of Individuals in Secondary Special Education Programs.	1
English/Language Arts Teacher Education.	1
Experimental Psychology.	1
Fine Arts and Art Studies, Other.	1
Health/Medical Physics.	1
Horticultural Science.	1
Industrial Engineering.	1
Logistics, Materials, and Supply Chain Management.	1
Management Information Systems and Services, Other.	1
Materials Science.	1
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies, Other.	1
Pharmaceutics and Drug Design.	1
Physics, Other.	1
Rehabilitation and Therapeutic Professions, Other.	1
School Librarian/School Library Media Specialist.	1
Spanish Language and Literature.	1



SOURCE: Alabama Statewide Student Database

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Workforce Development Region 4 includes: Blount, Chilton, Jefferson, Shelby, St. Clair, and Walker counties.

Note: Beginning Fall 2010, students previously listed as 1st Professional are included as Graduate students per guidelines from US Dept. of Education.